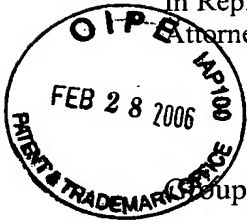


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SUBSTITUE PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Acceptance, issued January 19, 2006, listing a defect in the initiation of the national phase of the above-identified application. The applicant is hereby re-submitting the Preliminary Amendment filed on April 28, 2005, in which the amended claims were incorrectly numbered. The current Substitute Preliminary Amendment has numbered the amended claims correctly, as claims 7-12, rather than as claims 18-23 in the initial Preliminary Amendment.